

DOG LEADS POLICE TO CHILD LOST IN MORRISVILLE WOODS

18 Months Old Youngster Is
Found Sleeping Under
Bush

WAS GONE TWO HOURS

Happy Reunion After Child Is
Found; None the Worse
For Experience

MORRISVILLE, May 9—Nearly two hours after a search had been started by a frantic mother, a dog that had been pressed into the search, led Chief of Police Albert Cooper to where an 18-month-old child was peacefully sleeping, unaware of all the excitement he had occasioned, by being missing from his home.

Saturday, little Theodore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Doederlein, Sr., Snipes' Corner, Lincoln Highway, a mile west of here, wandered away from his home, walked into the dense Magnolia Woods nearby, and after observing the beauties of nature, went to sleep under a bush.

Shortly before noon the boy wandered away from his yard. His mother, unable to find him, telephoned Chief Cooper who hurried to the scene with other officers. The State Motor Patrol also aided in the hunt.

Fields surrounding the house were carefully examined but no trace of the boy was found. The searching party then decide to enter the woods. Chief Cooper and a dog, owned by John Huser, a neighbor, went in one direction, and another group that included Officer Lebeberg, of the Morrisville police; Patrolman Riley, of the motor patrol; Huser and Fred Reitzele, went in the opposite direction.

For nearly two hours the posse searched but could find no trace of the child. Suddenly the dog, spotting something under a bush, began barking furiously and led Chief Cooper to where the child was asleep. The baby was uninjured. There was a happy reunion when the child was returned to his mother.

"Life of Mendelssohn" Is Presented To Civic Club

YARDLEY, May 9 — "Mendelssohn Day" was presented by members of the music committee of Yardley Civic Club at the final business session of the club, Thursday.

Mrs. Walter H. Thompson presided during the business session, and Mrs. Harvey J. Funk served as secretary. During the business session the following were elected: President, Mrs. John B. Force; vice-president, Mrs. Kenney Dickel; second vice-president, Mrs. Vaughn S. Grundy; secretary, Mrs. Walter H. Thompson; treasurer, Mrs. Lura R. Ross; directors, Mrs. Harvey J. Funk, Mrs. Harry Magill, Mrs. James E. Grome, Sr., and Mrs. D. Taylor Evans.

Mrs. Mahlon B. Knowles and Mrs. Walter L. Dilliplane were named to audit the accounts of the treasurer, Mrs. Lura R. Ross, who was authorized to take care of such bills as might arise during the summer.

A donation of \$5 was made to the local Red Cross fund, and a donation of \$5 to Yardley high school for bats and balls.

Mrs. Louis C. Leedom and Mrs. Harvey J. Funk, who were delegates to the Bucks County Federation of Pennsylvania Women, gave a report of the meetings.

Miss Lillian E. VanArtsdalen, chairman of music, took charge of the meeting, and presented the following program: Club chorus, "I Would That My Love" and "On Wings of Song"; "Life of Mendelssohn" with sketches given by Mrs. Mahlon B. Knowles, Mrs. Carl F. Ogren, Mrs. Vaughan S. Grundy, Mrs. Harry K. Amher, Miss Elizabeth S. Weeks, and Mrs. William Howett; piano selections, "Midsummer's Night's Dream" and "Fingal's Cave" and "Consolation." Mrs. Howett, reading about "Eljah," Mrs. Walter H. Thompson; solo from "Eljah," "Hear Ye, Israel," Miss VanArtsdalen, with Mrs. William Howett as accompanist.

Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3rd, and Mrs. Francis C. Thomas, readings; chorus numbers, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" and "In Heavenly Love Abide"; Mrs. Robert Barbour, Mrs. Harvey J. Funk and Mrs. Harry Magill gave a sketch "Mendelssohn's Friends"; Mrs. Ruth Howett and Miss VanArtsdalen, piano duets, "Spring Song" and "Priests' March."

Announcement was made by Mrs. Frank Sizafos of the club luncheon to be held May 19th at the home of Mrs. Robert C. Johnston. Reservations are being made with Mrs. William H. Applegate.

Mrs. Jesse Bilbee was welcomed into membership. An art display under direction of Mrs. Cora L. Holeslaw was much admired.

POSTPONE BANQUET

The mother and daughter banquet of the Girl Reserves, to be served in Bristol high school, has been postponed from tomorrow evening until Tuesday, May 24th.

Courier Classified Ads bring results

Released in \$2000 Bail On Charge of Alleged Forgery

SOUTH LANGHORNE, May 9—John J. Doyle, 31, was released under \$2,000 bail Saturday after appearing before Justice of Peace Cooper.

Doyle was arrested by Private Theodore Jones, Pennsylvania Motor Police, on a warrant issued by Alderman Madden at Harrisburg.

Doyle was held on a warrant alleging forgery and is directed to appear before Alderman Madden at Harrisburg on May 13th.

Doyle is the co-chairman of the "Kennedy for Governor Democratic Campaign Committee for Bucks County."

LANDRETH TEAM OPENS SEASON; LOSES TO VISITORS

Phila. Italians Nose Out Home
Nine by Score of 8 to 7
In Opener

BLACK ON THE MOUND

A large crowd turned out Saturday afternoon at Landreth Ball Park to witness the opening game of the 1938 baseball season and saw the Landreth Seeds nosed out by the strong Philadelphia Italians 8-7.

Before the game there was a colorful and interesting drill by the American Legion Cadets. Then led by the Cadets, both teams paraded around the field. Dr. J. Fred Wagner, president of Bristol Borough Council, threw out the first ball, due to the inability of Burgess Clifford L. Anderson to be present.

Howard Black was selected to do the pitching for the Farmers and would have no doubt won his game had his supporting cast been right, as it was the visitors were presented with four runs as early as the second inning. In this inning, Maudie doubled to right and scored when Lattanzia hit a long triple to the scoreboard. Black passed LaPolla then made a nice catch of Landadio's line drive. Breslin, attempting to make a shoe string catch of Quinto's drive, allowed the ball to get by for a home run, three runs counting. Mancini singled. Breslin muffed Trotolo's fly. In an attempted steal, Mancini was caught at the plate. Delrossi's single counted Trotolo.

The Farmers came back with three runs in their half of the inning on Broderick's hit, a wild throw and singles by Rockhill and Dougherty. Mancini, a one arm pitcher "phenom," who bats and throws well with his left hand, started on the mound for the Italians but was removed in the fourth, after Rockhill's triple. Liberator's out and two base hits by Dougherty and Lodge tied the count. Anastasio replaced Mancini and fanned Breslin but Griggs' three base drive scored Lodge to put the home team in the lead.

Each team scored a run in the fifth session. Trotolo's triple and Milla's two baser knotted the count. Broderick's single, Fango's error on Rockhill's fly and Liberator's base hit again put Landreth's ahead.

Delrossi's fly was dropped by Breslin in the seventh, he stole second and evened the score on Mandi's single.

Carey, a left hander, relieved Black on the pitching mound for the Seeds at the start of the eighth. Lapolla, the first man to face him, hit a "Texas Leaguer" to right field for two bases. Tango's hit was a fly which dropped short in left field Lapolla scoring the winning run.

The Farmers tried hard to come from behind in the ninth. Broderick and Rockhill walked and Carey sacrificed but neither of the next two batters could supply the necessary hit.

Phila. Italians

Trotolo c	5	2	1	4	0	0
Delrossi ss	3	1	1	2	1	0
Milla 1b	5	0	1	1	1	0
Maudie 2b	5	1	2	0	4	0
Lattanzia 3b	3	1	1	2	1	1
Lapolla rf	2	2	2	3	0	0
Tango rf	2	0	1	0	0	1
Landadio rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Delgundo c	2	0	0	1	0	0
Quinto c	2	0	1	4	0	0
Mancini p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Anastasio p	2	0	0	0	0	0
	35	8	11	27	7	2

Landreth Seeds						
Rockhill rf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Liberator 2b	5	0	2	4	4	0
Dougherty 3b	6	1	2	1	2	0
Lodge lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Breslin cf	5	0	0	4	1	3
Griggs 1b	5	0	0	3	10	0
Debeskey ss	5	0	0	3	3	0
Broderick c	4	2	3	3	2	0
Black p	4	1	0	1	2	0
Carey p	0	0	0	0	0	0
	41	7	15	27	14	3

Innings:
Italians 0 5 0 0 1 1 0-8
Landreth 0 3 0 3 1 0 0-7

CHANGE MEETING NIGHT

The Lower Bucks County Mutual Independent Club had its annual meeting Monday night. The meeting night has been changed to Wednesday at 8.30 o'clock. Anyone wishing to become a member may apply on meeting nights. Recently 17 joined up. This club is non-political, officials state. The club conducted its first dance on Wednesday night. There were 145 persons present.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 11.37 a. m.
Low water 6.08 a. m., 6.34 p. m.

Here and There in Bucks County Towns

A new Hale type, 500-gallon triple combination fire apparatus has been ordered by Doylestown Fire Company. The new engine will have a 500-gallon pump, a 200-gallon booster tank, 200 feet of booster hose and a hose body to carry 1200 feet of two-and-one-half inch hose. The engine will be streamlined in effect, and will have no cab but a windshield. The present small pumper which is 12 years old will be traded in as part of the deal.

The first step in a much-needed new school and modern athletic field for Doylestown Borough, has been taken with the authorization of the purchase of a 12-acre building site upon the approval of the Bucks County School Board and the Department of Public Instruction at Harrisburg.

This action was taken at a meeting of the Board of School Directors who approved the purchase of the tract located on the Burpee seed farms at the corner of West Court and Lafayette streets, which was at one time part of the old Doylestown Exposition Grounds. On the tract is a half-mile race track, part of which can easily be developed into a cinder track. Several valuable buildings on the tract can also be used in the development of the school site.

The tract itself was viewed several years ago by State authorities and at that time was looked upon as one of the very finest in the State of Pennsylvania. Plans for the development of the tract and the erection of a new school have not been discussed. Whether a W. P. A. project will be applied for has not been learned.

With a population of eighty, the Bucks county prison today has the largest number of prisoners in many years.

The second annual banquet of the Eastern Pennsylvania Butter and Egg Association will be held in Doylestown on Monday evening, May 9th.

Final Meeting for Term Planned By the P. T. A.

MAKEFIELD, May 9 — Plans have been made for the last meeting of the year of Lower Makefield P. T. A. for the school term 1937-1938, to be held on May 9th, at 8.15, with a program of business, and election of officers, followed by games, stunts and refreshments.

The committee arranging the affair includes: Carl F. Ogren, president; James Fitzcharles, Mrs. Carl Watson, Mrs. Milton Satterthwaite, Miss Helen McCarthy, Miss Kathryn J. McCrea, Eldon J. Sowers, Miss A. Marie Kelly.

TO FORM JUNIOR POLICE ASSOCIATION IN COUNTY

Expect To Interest Between
3000 and 4000 Boys In The
Organization

AGE LIMIT IS SET

As part of the juvenile work being carried out by the Bucks County Police and Constables' Association, plans were adopted at a meeting in the Bucks County Crime Laboratory at Doylestown, to form a Bucks County Junior Police Association which is expected to interest between 3000 and 4000 boys ranging in ages from 8 to 16 years.

It is planned to set up individual troops in each community. No boy under 12 can hold a commissioned office. There will be competitive examinations and individual members must be sponsored by one parent and a police officer in that community. The set-up will be similar to the former Pennsylvania State Police with a superintendent, captain, lieutenant, first sergeant and corporal.

A committee has been appointed to furnish the law enforcement officers of the various sections of Bucks county with details concerning the movement. Members of the committee are: Chief James Welsh, Doylestown, president; Harvey Wambold, Perkasie chief; Oliver Morris, Hulmeville; Leonard Coulton, Doylestown; Ralph Lewis, Perkasie; Harry B. Welsh, Quakertown chief; Earl D. Blair, Doylestown; Edward Roberts, Morrisville; William McMullen, Newtown; Frank Hallman, Sellersville chief; Deputy Sheriff August Wackerman, Quakertown; James Marion, Morrisville.

Sixth Natal Anniversary Is Observed With Party

Lou Zanni, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Zanni, 1021 Pond street, celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary, Saturday afternoon, by entertaining a number of little friends. The afternoon was enjoyed playing games and singing. Refreshments were served and small baskets filled with candy were favors. Lou received many gifts.

Those present: Gladys and Joseph Liberator, Angeline and Eugene Bandine, Rita and Michael Iannucci, Thomas Spitzo, James Genco, Julia Zanni, Alice Lanza, Yolanda Sozio, Frank Ritz, Edward Feli, Evelyn Iannucci, Mrs. Lou Zanni.

Republican Women To Hear Some Prominent Speakers

The all-day Spring meeting of Bucks County Council of Republican Women, will be conducted in the Doylestown Country Club, Wednesday, with sessions at 10.30 a. m., an 2.15 p. m., d. s. t.

Following business and committee reports in the morning the history of the Republican party will be given by Mrs. J. Harry Hoffman, Doylestown; "Questions and Answers," Mrs. Elisabeth Palmer, Langhorne, Bucks County state committeewoman, and an address by the Hon. Thomas B. Stockham, Morrisville, and James E. Groom, Yardley.

Prominent individuals will speak in the afternoon, and candidates will give five-minute addresses. Platter luncheon may be arranged for by telephoning Mrs. William Morgan at the Doylestown Country Club.

EIGHTY-TWO STUDENTS PERFECT IN ATTENDANCE

Forty-Three On Honor Roll
At Andalusia Are
Boys

BANNER IS AWARDED

ANDALUSIA, May 9—Eighty-two students in the Andalusia public school here turned in perfect attendance records for the month of April, according to the list just released. Forty-three of that number were boys and the remaining 39 girls.

Miss Rae Komenarski's section, composed of fourth and fifth grades, won the school attendance banner for the month with the highest percentage of perfect records. There were 26 who had perfect attendances in these two grades, the girls leading 16 to 14.

First and second grade divisions were low with a total of nine, while in actual numbers the sixth and seventh grade section was high with 31. Those whose names appeared on the list includes:

First and second grade—Miss Helen J. Miller, teacher: Charles Blankley, Kenneth Smith, Billy Robertson, Margery Laster, Margaret Swan, Walter Dunner, Wendall Kinker, Edwin Mount, and Edward Settle.

Second and third grade—Miss Helen Ackerman, teacher: Betty Blankley, Jack Chrostek, Arthur Diamanti, Charles Knebel, Gloria Thompson, Dolores Young, Dorothy Davis, Alfred Diamanti, Patricia Engle, John Ferguson, William Grant, Jane Geiges, Lois McCartney, Betty Still, John Witbak, and Hester Wright.

Fourth and fifth grade—Miss Rae Komenarski, teacher: Josephine Frances Call, Mary Chrostek, Jean Edelman, Catherine Ferguson, Joan Edelman, Catherine Fries, Elizabeth Funk, Elaine Jackson, A. Cecelia Juliff, Virginia Oliver, Ada Mae Pickersgill, Rheda Rahn, Ruth Wendkos, Charlotte Henderson, William Behm, James DeGour, Daniel Gallagher, James Dunner, George Geiges, Franklin Jackson, Charles Jester, George Keaton, Alton Laster, Richard Osterman, William Smith, and Robert Waites, Jr.

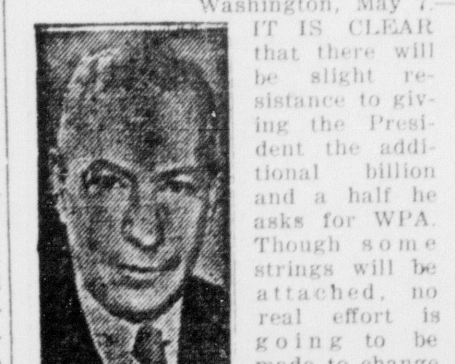
Sixth and seventh grade—Daniel W. Charles, teacher: Elizabeth Anderson, Margaret Armstrong, Rita Blossch, Clara Fries, Doris Hibbs, Elva Hibbs, Dorothy Kerber, Evelyn Malone, Charlotte Osterman, Doris Philipp, Mary Reichert, Helen Still, Lillian Swan, Helen Truchart, Albert Anderson, George Carter, Leonard Chrostek, Robert Edelman, Rodman Fries, Raymond Fusaro, Elmer Geiges, Henry Heacock, Victor Hibbs, Howard Jones, David Kish, Stanley Parr, Lawrence Robinson, Richard Rossbauer, Robert Scheer, Stanley Sharpe, and Richard Vickers.

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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT
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"Living On Relief"



Washington, May 7—IT IS CLEAR that there will be slight resistance to giving the President the additional billion and a half he asks for WPA. Though some strings will be attached, no real effort is going to be made to change the system, though there is overwhelming testimony that more relief for far less money can be given through local administrations, and that the present method is the most costly and wasteful ever devised.

LATEST NEWS - - -

Received by International
News Service Leased
Wires.

Get Damages for False Arrests

Pittsburgh, May 9—Three visiting salesmen who claimed they were falsely arrested in Johnstown, today were awarded total verdicts of \$1025 each in damages against Mayor Daniel J. Shields and two members of the police department. The three salesmen, Fred Brewer, of Detroit, and Dan Mack and Arnold G. Warner of Cleveland, claimed they represented a legitimately organized correspondence school, and were arrested upon insufficient suspicion January 30, 1936, and thrown into Johnstown's city jail, which they described in a chorus as "filthy" and vermin infested. City Solicitor Saylor immediately filed motion for a new trial.

Praises Mussolini

Rome, Apr. 9—Rudolf Heff, Deputy Nazi leader in Germany, today called Premier Mussolini a "worthy successor" of the Caesars, and told the world to "bury every hope that Fascism and National Socialism will ever be separated." In an interview with International News Service, Heff told of the strong impression of Italy's power gained by the Germans as Il Duce paraded his forces.

Hitler En Route Home

Florence, Italy, May 9—On his way back to Berlin after his triumphant visit to Rome, Adolph Hitler arrived in Florence aboard his special train shortly after two p. m.

Japan Fully Prepared To Continue

Toyko, May 9—Japan is fully prepared to carry on military operations against China until the "incident" which has turned itself into a two-year war is entirely liquidated. Foreign Minister Hirota told International News Service today.

CORSON ST. RESIDENTS ARE WED FIFTY YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh
Will Mark Half-Century
Of Wedded Life

NATIVES OF IRELAND

Mr. and Mrs. John McHugh, 708 Corson street, will quietly celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary tomorrow.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McHugh were born in Ireland, coming to the United States about 60 years ago. They have been residents of this borough for the past 45 years, residing most of that time in the house in which they now live.

Mr. and Mrs. McHugh were married in Brooklyn, N. Y., and seven children were born to them, five of whom are now living, and all residing in Bristol. They are: Mrs. William McHugh, Mrs. John Bassett, Mrs. Michael Keating, Corson street; Mrs. Albert Gross, Jr., Garden street, and Mrs. James Hoffmann, Pine street. Several grandchildren are living, and one great-grandchild. Patrick McFadden, Wood and Mulberry streets, is a brother of Mrs. McHugh.

Mr. McHugh is employed by Warner J. Steel, having been with that firm over 30 years. On Tuesday he will celebrate his 80th birthday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McHugh are communicants of St. Mark's Catholic Church.

House-Warming Occurs At The Sutton Residence

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton entertained guests Saturday evening at a house-warming party at their new residence, 122 Buckley street.

The evening was spent playing cards, in which the winners received prizes. Mr. and Mrs. Sutton were recipients of many beautiful gifts. A ham and spaghetti dinner was enjoyed by: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fennimore, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, Mr. and Mrs. David Hutchinson, Moss Schatzer, Mrs. Samuel Dietrich, Miss Florence Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Prickett, Miss Daisy Sutton, Doris, Clara and Robert, Jr.

LEHMAN-ESTY NUPTIAL CEREMONY SOLEMNIZED

Sixty Guests Attend Wedding,
Saturday Noon In
Ardmore

TO LIVE IN GERMANTOWN

The wedding of Miss Mildred Esty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Esty, Ardmore, and Robert F. Lehman, son of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Lehman, 316 Radcliffe street, was solemnized Saturday noon at the home of the bride's parents. Sixty guests attended. The Rev. S. Brooks Knowlton, Sharon Hill, officiated.

Mrs. Donald C. Esty, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor; Miss Dora Perkins, Manilla, P. I., bridesmaid; and Robert E. Girvin, California, was best man.

A reception followed the ceremony, and the bride and groom left Saturday for ten days' honeymoon trip. Mr. and Mrs. Lehman will be at home after July 1st, at 3455 West Penn street, Germantown.

Mr. Lehman is a graduate of Bristol high school, a graduate of Amherst, and the Law School of the University of Pennsylvania. He is connected with Fell and Spaulding, Philadelphia.

Those attending the wedding from Bristol were: Dr. and Mrs. Frank Lehman, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Windus, Mrs. Joseph Smith, Miss Marion Smith and Lardner Morris.

Voyage To Bermuda Taken By Couple Wed Here Today

A Buckley street man took as his bride this morning a resident of Langhorne, when Martin J. Fallon, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Fallon, and Miss Margaret Richardson, Watson avenue, Langhorne, were united in marriage.

The Rev. Father Albert Glass performed the ceremony in the rectory of St. Marks Church, at eight o'clock, in the presence of members of the Richardson and Fallon families.

Attendants were Mrs. Harmon Richardson, sister-in-law of the bride, who served as bridesmaid; and Nevin McGinley, Otter street, who acted as best man.

The bride was attired in a navy blue suit, with white hat and white accessories. Her attendant wore a grey suit with navy blue accessories. The bride's corsage was of white sweet-peas, and the corsage worn by the bridesmaid was composed of peach-toned sweet-peas.

A wedding breakfast was partaken of by the bride and groom and their attendants, in New York, after the ceremony.

Mr. Fallon and bride sailed today for a week's trip to the Bermuda Islands.

Mr. Fallon has for a number of years been employed by the Philadelphia Electric Company, in the Washington street office. He and his bride will reside in Langhorne.

Sporting Club Tenders A Reception To 2 Students

Caesar Clanciosi, Grant avenue, and Joseph DiLisio, Wood street, members of the graduating class of Bristol high school, who returned Saturday evening from the Washington trip, were tendered a reception by the Fifth Ward Sporting Club, in the club rooms, 1099 Wood street. A social time and refreshments were enjoyed.

Those attending: Misses Florence Clanciosi, Rose Vanucci, Louise DiLisio, Rachael Clanciosi, Ann Vanucci, Yolanda Laperola, Albina Cammilleri; Messrs. Patsy Capecci, Angelo Clanciosi, Alfred Cordisco, Peter Mancini, Sylvio Florita, Leonard Felicione, Joseph Constantine, Michael Clanciosi, Louis Galzerano, Joseph Cerelli, Joseph Pica, Arthur Straffe, Frank DeFelice, Nicholas Mancini, John Plevan, C. Rossi, Daniel DeMedio; Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Clanciosi, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rosetty, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tosti, Mrs. Anthony Constantine.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Mother and Daughter Banquet of the W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow evening in the Baptist Sunday School room at six o'clock. Each member is privileged to take a guest.

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY NAMES ITS OFFICERS AT ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Show A Gain of 400
Visitors Over Last Year
At Mercer Museum

FIFTEEN NEW MEMBERS

Dr. B. F. Fackenthal, Jr., is Re-
Elected President of The
Society

DOYLESTOWN, May 9—During the past year a total of 7301 visitors signed the register at the Bucks County Historical Society's Mercer Museum, it was reported here Saturday at the 57th annual meeting of the society. This was a gain of 400 over the previous year.

Interesting papers on subjects of historic interest were read following a business session at which time annual reports were submitted and officers elected. The society re-elected Dr. B. F. Fackenthal, Jr., of Ringelaville, as president.

Fifteen new members were added to the roster of the society at Saturday's meeting, making a total of 449.

Curator Horace M. Mann, who was re-elected to that office in addition to the position as secretary-treasurer, submitted his annual report. Curator Mann will on June 15 be completing his 21st year with the society and the museum. Mr. Mann became affiliated with the society in 1917 as an assistant to the late Dr. Henry Mercer. He was elected curator in 1932. He has seen the museum collection grow from a confused, unsorted, uncatalogued mass of material to a collection that is known all over the United States, and to some extent, abroad. The whole collection is catalogued, arranged in accordance with the plan of Dr. Mercer, and a complex index made of the catalogue so that any item can be easily located. Many interesting items were presented to the museum during the past year and a number of items were purchased.

Dr. Fackenthal, in his annual report as president, announced that an addition to the library is now completed. One of the outstanding features of the addition is a unique collection of county newspapers.

"Our program of improvements is nearly completed," Dr. Fackenthal reported. "Some changes should be made for the better accommodation of our curator. The trustees have authorized the employment of an usher. The need of an usher is apparent as the number of visitors increases yearly."

Dr. Fackenthal reported that Font-bill, which is closely allied with the Mercer Museum, had 4019 visitors in 1937 or 696 more than in 1936. He also advocated that the main exhibition rooms of the Mercer Museum should be improved by placing lighting in each display cabinet.

George MacReynolds, librarian of the society, reported much progress in 1937. He stated that with the aid of a very efficient stenographer, literally thousands of old bookmarks, business cards, school and college commencement programs, social and institutional invitations, wedding invitations, dance invitations and programs, engravings, lithographs, certificates and commissions of various kinds, political and fraternal society badges and buttons, silhouettes, photostats of old deeds and other documents, and volunteer firemen's material were taken out of their hiding places, neatly mounted on cardboard and placed in portfolios, where they

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THE OPEN MIND

The announcement that Dr. Bertrand Russell has been appointed professor of philosophy at the University of Chicago will be the signal for an outburst of polemics, a war of words in which the friends and the enemies of this original thinker may be expected to raise such a din that the issue will be lost in the clamor, with the result unchanged from the original intention. Another arch-non-conformist will sit on the rostrum of one of the big institutions of learning in the United States.

This proves once again that American education breathes and thinks freely, that it is alive. The United States has not locked up its brain and thrown the key away, as has been the case in the totalitarian nations of Europe. We do not say, "Teach this, but do not teach that or you shall be cast into uttermost darkness."

On the contrary, we say, "Give us what you have to give, we shall know what to take and what to discard; we shall thank you for the honesty of your thinking and we shall reward you by giving you the floor without intimidation and our open mind without reservation."

Because of this receptive American attitude, many of the greatest scholars of the earth have come to us during the last few years as steel filings come to a magnet. Whether or not you or we, or President, Hunchins of Chicago University, agree with what Dr. Russell has said and done in the past and has to say and does today, all of us must agree that so eminent a man as this English logician and mathematician deserves the most respectful hearing, which Chicago now gives him.

He is a valuable acquisition to the roster of America's university lecturers.

LIFE ONE GRAND CHORALE

Life can be a succession of one song after another. From the time one rises in the morning until, wearied by the burden and heat of the day, one retires at night, chant! Improve your voice, its quality, pitch, rhythm and carrying quality by song. Such is the advice of Mrs. Jane Dorsey Zimmerman, professor of speech at Teachers' College, Columbia University.

From the morning tub to greetings at the family breakfast table voices would be warmed up by chanting. Instead of a mumbled "good morning" it is suggested that the old kindergarten song, "Good Morning to You" be employed. For "please pass the butter" sing a parody on the quartet from "Rigoletto." But this advice is given on the premise of the survival of that good old-fashioned table at which the entire family gather for the morning meal. And that table is gone, and almost forgotten, in these hurly-burly, fast-moving times.

But there is one ceremony which still survives in many homes and that is putting children to bed. Instead of "Go to bed or I'll lace you" the formula is to croon something in a softly modulated voice, set to the tune "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot." That certainly ought to make a moving appeal to the children.

At last accounts efforts were being made to raise business on its feet so it could begin to limp ahead again.

A tale of intimidation comes from Florida, where Harry Richman was lately married and 17 best men cut off all escape.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol Oct. 26, 1876. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

There are about 200 teachers present at the county institute now in session at Doylestown.

A horse was sold this morning at constable's sale for ten cents. It wasn't a very good horse either. Emmor Conly, of the S. P. C. A., afterwards bought it for a dollar and had it decently killed.

George E. Wagner, grand high priest, and the officers of the Grand Chapter will be present at the Royal Arch Chapter of Masons next Monday evening and confer the degrees. All R. A. Masons are invited to be present.

Darwin G. Fenno, editor of the Doylestown Mirror, has been tendered and has accepted a position as reporter on the Philadelphia Times. Mr. Fenno is a graceful and fluent writer, and will do good service in his new field of labor.

John B. and Mary A. Tohlinson, residing a short distance from Newtown, celebrated their silver wedding last Saturday evening. About 200 invited guests were present. The presents of silver were numerous and varied. Hiram Kirk made a graceful speech in behalf of the donors of the beautiful articles. The evening was devoted to music and dancing and a recital of the changes made in 25 years.

The concert in aid of the new chapel of St. James' Church at the Masonic hall this evening promises to give a pleasant evening's entertainment to the music loving citizens of Bristol.

LANGHORNE—The death of John

Roberts, an old and respected citizen, formerly of this place, will throw four houses into the market at an early day.

There is still one gentleman in our town who has not visited the Centennial for "want of time." Poor man! Business will hurry him to an untimely grace.

Friends' Institute is very popular under the judicious management of Susan W. Gillam, as principal.

It is generally conceded that a change is an improvement, a progression, and the name of our town has been Four Lane's End, Aisleboro; and Langhorne is now redeemed from a village to a fully fledged borough with a right nobl council who attend to the affairs of state in an honorable, upright manner, and improve the appearance of the streets according to the means provided them. A spirit of happy rivalry exists among the property owners, and in no place of 700 or 800 inhabitants are there more comfortable homes, pleasant door-yards, better schools, and earnest Christian feeling than here. The railroad bids fair to give a new impetus to business, and new houses have been and will be erected as necessity demands.

WARMINGSTER—A J. N. Lockwood, of Johnsville, has a singing class at Davisville.

The new road through the lower end of Warmingster is very narrow. One evening not long since, when two carriages met, one of them had to back a considerable distance in order to find room to pass the other.

NEWPORTVILLE—The protracted meeting in the Bensalem M. E. Church has come to a close. Protracted meeting commenced at the Neshaminy Methodist Church, last Sunday evening.

James Pratt, a man engaged in carting stone for the new railroad near Janney's station, was killed on Wednesday, October 18th, by a cart load of stone upsetting, and falling upon him.

At a special meeting of the commissioners of Fairmount Park (Philadelphia), on Monday afternoon, it was agreed to allow the main exhibition building to remain in the park, subject to certain terms and conditions.

HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCarthy and son George Arthur, Abington, have been spending the past week in Hulmeville, visiting relatives.

A number of mothers were participants in the morning service in Neshaminy Methodist Church, yesterday, in observance of Mother's Day. The Rev. Robert H. Conly delivered a sermon appropriate to the occasion. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Edward Davis; and the Psalter led by Mrs. Edwin M. Lathrop. Mrs. Samuel K. Faust served as pianist, and the following choir of mothers gave two numbers: Mrs. Hugh B. Webster, Mrs. Horace C. Cox, Mrs. C. Wesley Haefner, Mrs. Alfred Woolman, Mrs. Charles Foster, Mrs. E. M. Lathrop, Mrs. Uweilan Miller, Mrs. John Worrell, Mrs. Spicer, Mrs. Robert H. Conly. Offering was received by two daughters, the Misses Ellen and Betty Everitt. To each mother over 65 years of age a narcissus was presented at the close of the service.

A guest yesterday of Charles Haefner and family was Mrs. Emma Lovett, who is spending some time in Langhorne. Harold H. Haefner, who is passing a week's vacation at his home, had his tonsils removed at the Wagner private hospital, Bristol, this morning.

Sozios Honor Daughter On Her Birthday Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James Sozio, 415 Washington street, gave a surprise party, last evening, in honor of their daughter, Miss Laura Sozio, on her 22nd birthday. The room was decorated in pink and white. The evening was spent in a social way, with singing and dancing.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Sozio and family, John Wheeler, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wolyn, Mrs. M. Shafer, Miss Nellie Shafer, Thomas Tusione, Mr. and Mrs. N. Galone, Mr. and Mrs. William Missera, Samuel Capella, Samuel Shepsi, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mosco, Mr. and Mrs. M. DeTanni and Helen, V. Sciarla, J. Camoly, C. Paglione, J. Pavone, F. Ro-

mono, Samuel Rivelli, John and Rose Mosco, Ann and Philip Viscuso, Virginia and Dominick DiNunzio, Jonis Minni and Margi Minni, Steven Brescia, Roma Delmonica, Leona Clotti, John Sozio, John Wheeler, Jr., Edward Pinelli, Lawrence Peterpaul, Victor, Nicholas, Anthony and Joseph Shepsi; Frank Ramona, Samuel Rivelli, Samuel and Thomas Danze.

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Ole King Coal was a merry old soul . . .
And a merry old soul was he;
He called for his pipe, he called for his bowl,
He called for his fiddlers three!



"CONTRABAND" by Dennis Wheatley

SYNOPSIS

When Gregory Sallust first saw the girl, in the Casino at Deauville, it was near midnight on the last day of the young Englishman's leisurely tour through Normandy. Sallust, a former intelligence officer, is now confidential investigator for a great British commercial corporation. The girl, tall and beautiful, came into the gaming room accompanied by a strange little man, not a dwarf yet curiously ill-proportioned, whom Gregory recognized as a sinister figure in international affairs. When, at midnight, the girl left the Casino alone, Sallust followed her. She meets a man in aviator's togs and the two are trailed by Gregory to a room above a cheap cafe, where the man is attacked by hoodlums. Gregory helps him escape. Gregory then takes the girl, Sabine, to his hotel apartment to save her from police questioning. There he asks her the meaning of the coded telegram he found in a black notecase on the floor of the cafe room after the fight but she warns him it is dangerous to know too much. While they are talking, her odd little companion, calls Sabine on the telephone telling her the coast is clear for her to return to him. But Gregory convinces her it would be safer for her to remain in his room for the night as the man attacked was a Scotland Yard officer and no doubt the authorities would be searching for her. So Sabine sleeps in Gregory's bed while he rolls up in a blanket on the bathroom floor. In the morning her "guardian" sends day clothes for Sabine, phones that she need not fear the police and warns Gregory to let her go. But Gregory, already infatuated, persuades her to spend the day with him.

CHAPTER V

Only a good-natured chambermaid hid a smile of understanding as she passed them hand in hand slipping down the service stairs. They passed through a side door into the restaurant, then under cover of the apple trees out through the courtyard. The car was waiting at the spot to which Gregory had ordered it. He had already settled it in his mind that they should lunch at the famous Guillaume Conquerant Restaurant at Dives, but it was still only ten o'clock, so he drove straight through to Cabourg and then turned inland along the road to Caen.

When he discovered that Sabine had never visited the old Norman capital, except to dine at that resort of gourmets, the Champs d'Ivoire, he parked the car in the square and they got out.

They spent an hour laughing and talking as they walked round the market and inspected the Cathedral. Then after an early cocktail, they picked up the car again and drove back to Dives, that little village at the mouth of the river from which William the Conqueror set out so many centuries ago with his Norman knights to invade England.

Neither Gregory nor Sabine were strangers to the celebrated hostelry which is the principal center of interest at Dives today and they were soon seated at one of the small tables in its ancient flower-decked courtyard.

The August day was a warm one so they decided on a cold luncheon—jellied consommé, chilled duck, and wild strawberries.

Sabine was protesting gaily that she could not possibly manage a third helping of the excellent cold duck, dressed with foie gras and cherries, when Gregory saw her face go suddenly blank.

"What is it?" he inquired anxiously.

She leaned across the table, laying her hand swiftly on his, her smooth forehead creased into a frown. "That man," she whispered, "Quick, he is just going through the gate. Oh, but you must be careful." Gregory glanced over his shoulder and was in time to catch one glimpse of a tall, broad shouldered well dressed fellow who dragged one leg slightly as he walked, before he was obscured by the archway.

"Who is it?" he asked. "The Limper, that is the name by which they call him," she murmured. "Is it by chance, I wonder, that he is here, or has my friend sent him? Be careful of yourself,

"How absurd you are," she laughed. "But no, perhaps, not altogether absurd, for he is a most fascinating and interesting person. He has no time for women though, I think, and uses me only as a cog in his machine."

"To lure unsuspecting young policemen to their death, eh?" He smiled, his flaming anger having evaporated as quickly as it had come.

"No, no, not that. Those thugs, as you call them, would not have killed him. Their orders were only to get back the telegram that he had stolen."

She spoke hastily in her anxiety to deny the suggestion that she might have led the officer to his



It was pepper! Too late Gregory shut his eyes . . .

pepper. It would make me miserable now if any misfortune were to happen to you."

"Is he so dangerous then?"

"Very, I think. At least, many people are afraid of him."

"Well, I'm not," Gregory laughed. "but thanks for the warning, and thank you far more for your concern for me. But tell me this: why do you mix with such people? Have you got to, or is it choice?"

She shrugged. "It is my life."

"I wish you'd tell me more of yourself, and more of your, er—friend." As he spoke he was speculating again as to whether Sabine could possibly be the old man's mistress.

She shrugged again. "I prefer that you should not question me. In a little time now we must part, and it is better that you should know nothing of me."

"Yet I mean to. Believe me, Sabine, we shall meet again—and soon."

"I do not say I would be averse to that—but no! At this time I am apart from men. It is too dangerous—dangerous for you. Please, after today forget that we have ever met. It would be better so."

"Tell me one thing," he urged. "When you speak of your friend, do you really mean your lover?"

death and, in so doing, said more than she had intended. Gregory was quick to note the flush that mounted to her cheeks. The telegram was now reposing in his breast pocket and as soon as he had the chance he meant to get a cipher expert to decode it if possible, since he had felt from the beginning that it might hold the key to the mystery in which he was so much interested.

As he was paying the bill she stood up, saying that she must leave him for a moment, but would rejoin him at the car. He watched her go, a gracious sylvan figure, then he stood up himself and walked slowly through the creeper covered gateway, round to the garage.

As he rounded the corner a tall figure with raised arms leaped forward, casting a cloud of black dust straight into his face.

It was pepper. Too late he shut his eyes and thrust up his hands. Searing red hot pains seemed to stab through his eyeballs. The infernal stuff was in his mouth and nostrils, making him choke and gasp. Then, as he staggered back, blind and helpless, a powerful fist caught him a terrific blow in the stomach and he doubled up, writhing in agony on the ground.

(To Be Continued)

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Dear Son:

We welcome you and Helen back from your honeymoon. After you've settled a bit we'll drop in to see your new home

I remember the day, some thirty years ago, when your Mother and I came back to our first home. I split kindling for the cast-iron kitchen stove, and it took Mother all afternoon to bake some bread. Instead of her vacuum-cleaner, Mother had a broom . . . and how she made it fly. But our prize possession was in the parlor . . . a real talking-machine, with chubby cylinder-records and a big morning-glory horn.

We used to march for miles all over town on our shopping trips. How I fidgeted while Mother shopped. We were both worn out.

Things have changed a lot since then, all right — and you'll both be better off for it. Helen won't have to spend half her days in the kitchen like Mother used to. The advertisements in the daily newspaper will save her those punishing miles of shopping. They'll keep her posted on current values, give her the names of dependable products, tell her all about special sales. When you come home nights you'll find her fresh as a daisy . . . ready for a jolly evening with your friends.

I'll trade the "good old days" for the good NEW days any day.

But enough of reminiscence . . . I rejoice in the exciting years of youth that are ahead for you both.

Affectionately,

Dad

In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. : : :

AT THEATRE PERFORMANCE

The Misses Aletha Myers, Helen Kontoff, Mildred Fabian, Marion Harrison, Gertrude Murphy, Bristol, and Gladys Hewitt, Trenton, N. J., enjoyed dinner and a performance of the theatre guild in Philadelphia, Monday evening.

ATTEND I. O. O. F. RALLY

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mothersbaugh, Hulmeville; Mrs. Isabel Jackson, Wood street, and Mrs. M. Heaton, Washington street, attended the tri-state rally of I. O. O. F., recently, in Harrisburg.

Miss Ellen DeWitt, Edgely, and Miss Olive Winslow, Jackson street, were recent overnight guests at the Home for Orphans of Odd Fellows, Philadelphia, and attended the tri-state rally of I. O. O. F., in Harrisburg.

OUT OF TOWN

Mrs. Robert Patterson, 216 Cedar street, week-ended with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Walker, Glenside.

SLATINGTON IS VISITED

Miss Irene Paules, 421 Otter street, spent from Friday until Sunday at her home in Slatington.

TO UNDERGO OPERATION

Miss Edith Norato, 345 Dorrance street, entered Jeanes Hospital, Fox Chase, this week where she will undergo an operation.

J. DUGAN, JR., ILL.

James Dugan, Jr., Chestnut street, has been confined to his home by illness for several days.

TO MOVE TO BATH STREET

Miss Anna Schaffer and Miss Anna Jeffries, who have been residing at 216 Harrison street, have moved to 567 Bath street.

ACTIVITIES OF LOCALITIES

Mrs. George Pollard, 2322 Wilson avenue, is spending today with Mrs. William Bangs, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Fred Bux, who has been spending the winter in Miami, Fla., arrived in Bristol last week and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowers, Bath street. Mrs. Bux left Friday for her summer home in the Poconos.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dugan and family, Bath road, spent several days during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Aites, Stroudsburg.

Miss Katharine McNamara, 619 Beaver street, spent Friday until Sunday in Collingswood, N. J., visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Mullen.

A. VanGulik, Pond street, spent Friday until Sunday in Clifton, N. J., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Dobbelaar. Mrs. VanGulik, who has been spending the past week in Clifton with relatives and friends, returned home with Mr. VanGulik, Sunday.

Rex Hunter, Beaver Rd. and Venice avenue, spent a day last week in New York City.

Mrs. Jacob Townsend and daughter Jane, Bath and Otter streets, spent three days last week visiting in Ventnor, N. J.

HAVE GUESTS

Miss Elizabeth Percy, Philadelphia; and Martin Percy, Collingswood, N. J.,

were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kline, 1221 Pond street. John and Salvatore Aidone, New York City, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Morici, 228 Franklin street.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bonner and daughter Helen, Trenton, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Linford C. Jones, 302 Jefferson avenue.

The Great Game of Politics

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time has not had a directing head, is still functioning at considerable expense, employs several hundred persons, has paid agents in every State and is still spending approximately a million dollars a year. Originally created by the President in 1933, it consisted of the members of the Cabinet and all the various departmental heads. The avowed purpose of the council was co-ordination of the various governmental activities, but that has been a joke. Neither its first \$10,000-a-year head—Mr. Frank C. Walker, nor its second, Mr. Donald Richberg, got anywhere at all in the matter of co-ordination. It was simply an impossible job. Under Presidential pressure, Mr. Walker actually tried it twice, but gave up in despair two years ago. Now, the official White House co-ordinator is Mr. James Roosevelt, the thrifty young insurance millionaire, though what he co-ordinates has never been very clear.

THOSE who have reviewed the record of the NEC say that it really is a combination propaganda and information bureau; that there is no real excuse for its existence, and that for five years it has largely "lived on relief," but in this it is not alone. Various other governmental gadgets set up by the Brain Trust of the first New Deal similarly "live on relief." One of these is the National Resources Board, for which \$1,000,000 is now asked; another is the Prison Industries Board, which wants \$800,000; another is the Puerto Rico Recovery Administration, which needs \$11,000,000. And there are others.

THE diversion of relief funds to support these governmental boards, commissions and councils created by Executive order, has been going on since 1933. It is a natural result of appropriating huge lump sums to the President without limiting his discretion. The practice of using relief money for other purposes has been denounced in Congress and out, and, of course, there will be an effort this time to write into the bill an amendment putting an end to the practice. That it will be successful is much to be doubted. The pressure from the White House and from the agencies which "live on relief" is very strong. In the closing days of a session, with Congressmen facing election and anxious to go home with assur-

ances of their shares of the public funds, it isn't easy to thwart an Administration in matters of this sort.

THERE is no time to arouse public opinion and it isn't certain it could be aroused if there were. The fact remains that this diversion of relief funds cannot be defended. These vast sums of money are sought to prevent people from starving. On that theory, they have been voted by Congress and on that theory the country has been willing to bear the increased burdens of taxation and submit to great borrowings that clearly threaten the national solvency. But they have a right to expect that very dollar be spent for the purpose named, and they have a right to be indignant at any diversion, however small. Actually, a good many millions have been diverted.

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ON SCREENS IN BRISTOL

BRISTOL THEATRE

"Mr. Deeds gets taken to town by a gal who met him in Paris!"

That, in a nutshell, is the new Claudette Colbert-Gary Cooper comedy, "Bluebeard's Eighth Wife," a Paramount picture, which had its local premiere last night at the Bristol Theatre.

Set against the background of Europe's gayest pleasure spots, the picture tells the mad story of an American millionaire who runs through a series of seven wives in rapid succession. He meets his match in a lovely French aristocrat who frankly marries him for his money and tames her "shrew" with the most unexpected success.

Cooper, in his role of the blase Croesus who does not become interested in

his wife until he almost loses her, is a new person and bears out the predictions of many of his admirers that his ideal part would be that of a man-of-the-world. Miss Colbert, playing the urbane and resourceful daughter of the French aristocracy, tames her one man as she tamed her two in "I Met Him in Paris."

GRAND

You'd never know the old farm now—it's streamlined Radio City, with Shirley Temple on a happiness hook-up in the title role of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," her best-of-all musical. The first star of the screen is supported by her starriest cast, sunniest songs, swiftest dances and a hey-hey load of laughter in this new 20th Century-Fox musical comedy hit opening today at the Grand Theatre.

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Announcements

Deaths

KENSIL—At Edgely, Pa., May 7, 1938, Samuel S., husband of the late Sallie B. Kensil. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. from his late residence, 3 Grieb Ave., Edgely, Pa. Interment North Cedar Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia. Friends may call Monday evening.

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Final preparations for the Bristol Twilight League were made Friday night at a meeting of the circuit held in the St. Ann's A. club house, with President Thomas Juno presiding.

The loop opens tonight with the Superior Zinc nine meeting the St. Ann's A. A. team on Grundy's diamond. Jefferson avenue and Garden street. Tuesday night, the William H. Grundy Company nine meets the Odd Fellows at Edgely. Thursday night, Rohm & Haas meets Superior at Leedom's field and Friday night, Grundy's plays Rohm & Haas on the latter's field and the Odd Fellows meet St. Ann's on Grundy's field.

The umpires approved by the managers and directors are as follows: Joe Kervick, Nevin McGinley, Frank Fields, Ted Fraul and Vito Della. The scorers are as follows: James Dolan, Carlo Juno, and Louis Tomlinson.

The eligible players are as follows: Grundy's: Tony DiTanna, Eddie Kervick, Al Capriotti, Mel Wright, Joe Antonelli, Ralph Naresi, Tony DiBlassio, Earl Jeffries, Andy Monachello, Tommy Maffett, William Moss, Bob Grimsshaw, Ray Tomlinson, James Seancella, and Eddie McIlvaine.

St. Ann's: Charlie Whyno, Ray Pieo, Pete Firce, Rocco Sagolla, Charlie Irlig, George Dougherty, Tony Angelo, Mike DeRisi, Dominick Juno, and Punkie Zeffries.

Odd Fellows: Hal Snyder, Jake Paul, Billy Leigh, Jimmy Cooper, Johnny Dick, Al Dewsnap, Eddie Hunter, Fred Hibbs, Ike Watson, Stan Carlen, Fred Wilmot, Milt Jones, Leo Hibbs, Sid Purcel, Henry Morrell, and W. Bilger.

Rohm & Haas: Fred Oppman, Jim Massilla, Gize Ritter, Bill Ritter, Charles Locke, John Dougherty, Bud Brunner, Eddie Sullivan, Eddie Jeffries, Calvin Vanzant, Gordon Gilbert, Howie Berry, Marvin Hutchinson, Andy Pfaffenrath.

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Representatives of the clubs Friday night were: Rohm & Haas, Andy Pfaffenrath; St. Ann's, Tony Angelo; Superior, Pete Bornice, Odd Fellows, Bob Sutton, and Grundy's Roy Fry.

BRISTOL A. A. LOSES TO NICETOWN, 2 TO 1

"Johnny" Mulholland's Bristol A. A. team opened its season yesterday afternoon at Nicetown by losing a close 2-1 decision to the St. Steven's team of that town. Failure to hit in the clutch doomed the Bristol team which out-hit the homesters, 9-7.

Wild base-running also attributed to the Mulholland defeat, especially in the fourth inning when five hits, a walk, and a hit batsman produced but one run. Two runners died at third base in this frame and the sacks were still loaded when Wanderland whiffed.

"Hokey" Leighton started for Bristol and had the Nicetown team hitless until the fourth and during this stretch only nine batters faced him but three hits manufactured a tally which deadlocked the count. The winning run came in the sixth on doubles by Shlaflra and Schack.

Leading the hitters for Bristol was "Punkie" Zeffries who tripled in the second and hit singles in the fourth and eighth. Snyder pitched good ball after relieving Leighton.

Nicetown	r	h	e	a	e
Shaeffer lf	0	0	4	0	0
Shlaflra 2b	2	2	1	1	0
Deagler 1b	0	2	5	0	0
Krause c	0	0	11	0	0
Schoch 3b	0	2	2	0	0
Nallarkey cf	0	0	2	1	0
Mastorio rf	0	0	0	0	0
Cannolly ss	0	1	2	1	0
O'Hara p	0	0	0	4	0
	2	7	27	7	0

Bristol	r	h	e	a	e
Stallone 2b	0	0	3	2	0
Roe cf	0	1	2	0	0
Cooper 3b	0	2	0	0	0
Zeffries ss	1	3	2	2	0
Snyder lf	0	1	1	1	0
Choma 1b	0	1	10	1	0
Mellor rf	0	0	0	0	0
Wanderland c	0	0	4	2	0
Leighton p	0	0	0	1	0
Mondo rf	0	0	1	0	1
Murphy lf	0	1	1	0	0
	1	9	18	9	1

CALL FIREMEN

Saturday afternoon Bristol Consolidated firemen were called to extinguish a blaze at one of the frame buildings on the property of the Pacific Steel Boiler Company.

RESERVATIONS TO CLOSE

Reservations will close this evening for the shad supper to be served by Mothers Association of Bristol high school, Wednesday evening. Dancing will follow the dinner.

Historical Society Names Officers at Annual Meeting

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"A library such as we have, known equally with the Mercer Museum from coast to coast, cannot be evaluated in cold figures," Librarian MacReynolds declared. "Its real value lies in the large number of scarce and important books and its priceless manuscripts."

"The Main Line of the North Pennsylvania Railroad—1852-1879," a paper compiled by George M. Hart, Doylestown, was read by the author. Some of the interesting highlights of the paper included the following:

"Of the railroads in Bucks county

Puzzling Pitching Averages

By BURNLEY



How should a moundsman's true worth be established? The won and lost percentage is a notoriously fallible index of a pitcher's ability, so the earned-run average is generally regarded as the most accurate method of ranking the slingers.

Still, inspection of last year's earned run list proves that even this system is hardly trustworthy.

For instance, Lon Warneke's 4.52 earned run average is one of the poorest on record, ranking him twenty-fifth in effectiveness. Yet Lon won 18 games, and was one of the leading hurlers of the loop.

On the other hand, the ancient Guy Bush had the handsome earned run mark of 3.53. Still, he won only 8 games and lost 15, and few critics would rank him as a better flinger than Warneke.

Another angle to the earned run puzzle is the fact that some parks are conducive to low score games while others are not.

Last year's earned run kingpin was Jim Turner, who worked his home games in the Bees' spacious pastures, a veritable hurlers' heaven. It is obviously unfair to compare Turner's earned run mark with those of Passeau and Walters of the Phillies, since the Phils' handbox park is poison to pitchers. Turner's mark would have been considerably higher if he had twirled for the Phillies instead of the Bees.

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the main line of the North Pennsylvania Railroad was the best known 60 years ago. To most people it was known as 'The North Penn.' This was the second railroad in Bucks county, and when completed provided communications between Philadelphia and the prosperous Lehigh River Valley.

"This road was originally the Philadelphia, Easton and Water Gap Rail-

road and was chartered April 8, 1852. The first meeting of the Philadelphia, Easton and Water Gap Railroad was held at Eagle Hotel, Philadelphia, June 8, 1852. A committee was appointed to submit to the wishes of capitalists and business men."

"On April 18, 1853, the Philadelphia, Easton and Water Gap Railroad was granted by act of assembly to adopt in

lieu of their present title, the name of North Penn Railroad.

"The Main Line comprised three divisions: Southern, Philadelphia to Bethlehem; Lehigh division, Bethlehem to Pottsville; Susquehanna division, Pottsville to Waverly, N. Y.

"On June 16, 1853, ground was broken on the southern division of Landis Ridge, now Perkaskie hill, and at the close of the same year, 2000 men and 500 horses were employed in construction. The entire route from Philadelphia to Shimerville, 51 1/4 miles, had been let to contractors, and construction began on all parts of the division.

"Scarcely a year passed when \$1,518,000 had been spent for construction and the southern division was only 75% completed.

"One of the earliest engineering difficulties, Gwynedd Tunnel, was the subject of controversy about Edward Miller, chief engineer. Miller stated that the rock is soft texture and if his proposed route be chosen, it would not delay in the opening of the railroad. As it was the rock was extremely hard and time and expenses mounted.

"On July 2, 1856, a portion of the southern division, Willow street, Philadelphia, to Gwynedd, 19 miles, was opened for public use.

"A newspaper account read then: The haymakers ceased their work and looked wonderingly at the unaccustomed object . . . the boys and dogs frequently essayed a trial of

speed with the Aramingo, but only to shortly run out of breath . . . the demure cows would gaze a moment in mute wonder, and then scamper off as fast as their legs would carry them.

"Gwynedd remained the north terminus of the road for 18 months. Work progressed on the tunnel and was the principal cause of delay in opening the road to Shimerville. The tunnel was 500 feet long and 28 feet wide. The entire main line of the Southern Division was opened on December 23, but regular transportation did not start until January 1, 1857.

"In 1858 the Main Line was double-tracked. In the late 70's over 2,500,000 gallons of milk were annually shipped to Philadelphia. In 1878 a total of 1,310,000 passengers were carried. October 1, 1856, the Doylestown Branch was completed and on October 6, 1856, the first train was run to Doylestown."

Dr. Fackenthal read an interesting biographical paper on "John Barclay, innkeeper, farmer, soldier, mayor, merchant and banker. He pointed out how Barclay advanced from a country squire to be President Judge of the Bucks county courts. His home was in Springfield Township, near Riegelsville, for some time. He was a member of the Constitutional Convention in 1790; Mayor of Philadelphia in 1791, and at the time of his death was president of the Bank of Northern Liberties in Philadelphia.

Barclay was born January 22, 1749, but the place of his birth is not in

hand. He was the son of James Barclay who had married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Craig, of Warrington, which tends to show he later made his home in Warrington.

Records show that Barclay was commissioned Justice of the Peace December 13, 1782, when he lived in Springfield Township. On June 7, 1787, he purchased land on which was located the Three Tuns Inn, at Gallows Hill, Springfield township. On June 27, 1789, he was appointed President Judge of the Bucks county courts, succeeding Judge Henry Wynkoop. John Barclay was the last of the lay President Judges, retiring from the bench in 1790, when under the newly-adopted constitution, men learned in the law were thereafter appointed. Although not admitted to the Bar as a trained lawyer, he like many other country squires, at that time, practiced law as a layman and in that capacity his name appeared as attorney of record in the courts at Newtown.

"Early public school education in Bucks county and the passing of the one-rooms schools in Middletown township," was the subject of a paper read by Edmund Cocks, of the George School, Newtown, faculty. He devoted the principal part of his talk to the eight-square school-house and to the one-room school-house in Middletown Township.

The eight square school house originated in Holland. The following is a list of eight square school houses in

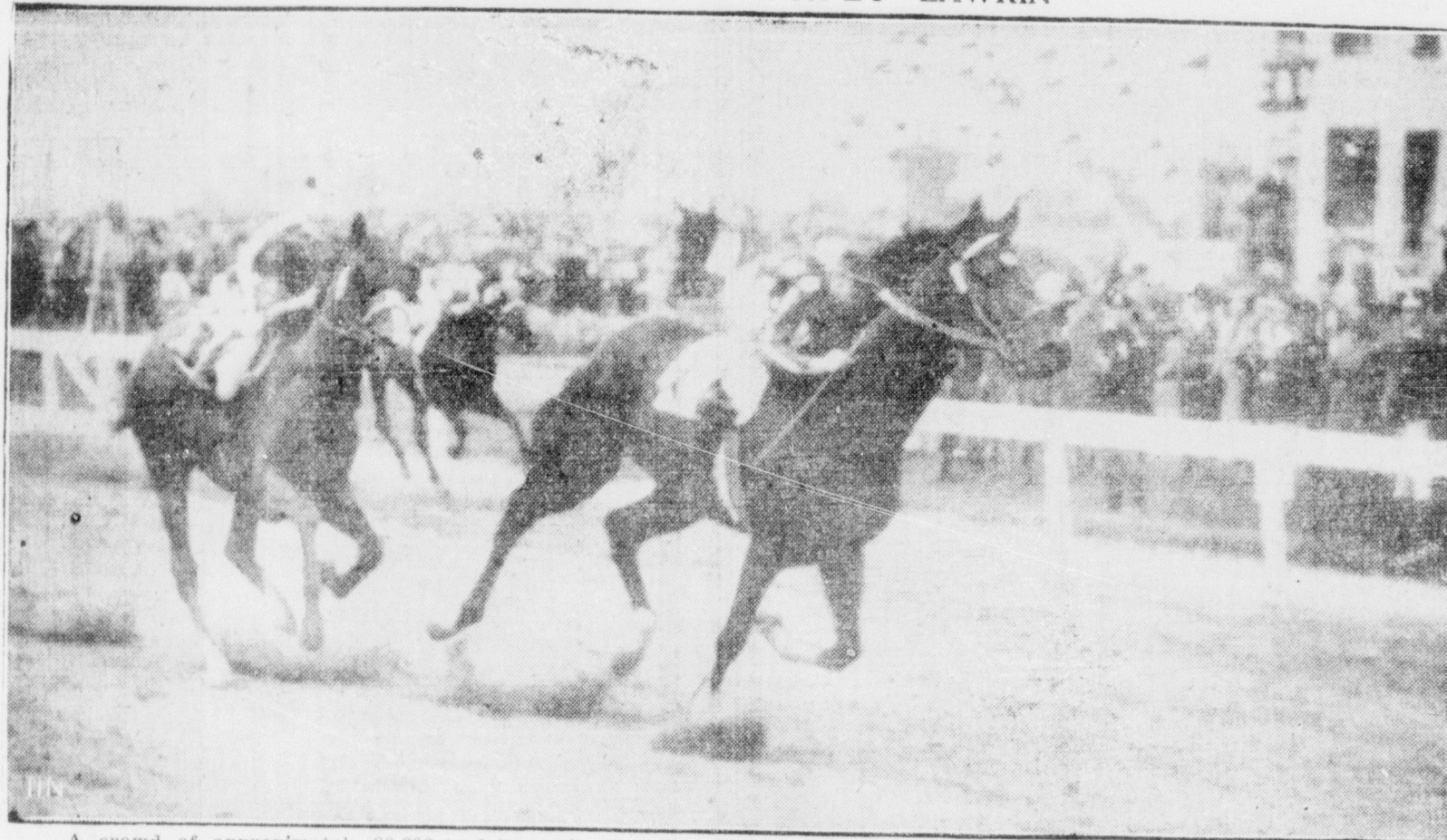
the county, some of which are now out of existence:

Oxford Valley, Lower Makefield Township, built about 1830; Penns Park, erected in 1802 and still standing; Frankford School, near Bursomville, built 1807-09; Leidytown school in Hilltown township, built in 1816; Stewart's school on Ferry road, New Britain township, near Fountainville, built in 1816 and torn down about 1890; Hickory Grove school, Durham Road in Buckingham Township, built in 1818; Groveland school, near Hinkeltown, Plumstead township, built in 1833; Mine Spring school, near Ruptetown, Bridgeton township, built before 1856; Lumberville school, at the intersection of State road and Lumberville-Carversville road, built in 1824.

The one-room school houses of Middletown township were Maple Point school, for which Mr. Cocks furnished the two original deeds to become the property of the Society; Frosty Hollow school, which was sold at auction on August 7, 1926, and located on Durham Road and Oxford Valley Road; Sunnyside Hill school and the Edge Hill school.

Other officers re-elected at the business session, were: Vice-presidents, Judge Calvin S. Boyer, Doylestown, and John H. Ruckman, Spring Valley; secretary, treasurer, curator, Horace M. Mann, Doylestown; Librarian, George MacReynolds, Doylestown. Three directors re-elected included Dr. Fackenthal, Mrs. E. Y. Barnes, Yardley; and George MacReynolds, Doylestown.

KENTUCKY DERBY WON BY "LAWRIN"



A crowd of approximately 80,000 turf fans witnessed the 64th renewal of the Kentucky Derby at Churchill Downs in Louisville, Ky., Saturday, which was won by "Lawrin," owned by H. N. Woolf. Pictured is the finish of the famous turf classic with "Lawrin," first; Bauder, second, and Can't Wait, third. Time of the race was 2 minutes and 4.4 seconds.

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